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### SENSATION AMONG ELKS.

A sensation was sprung at Apollo, Pa., Monday which has caused a division in the lodge of Elks at that place and may disrupt four homes, when Fred Barth, a prominent horseman and hotel proprietor of Kittanning, and Squire A. L. Semmens, of Applewood, with two married women, alleged to have been in scanty attire, were arrested at daybreak at the Elks' lodge rooms at Apollo.

Because of the prominence of the women their names are withheld by Justice of the Peace J. Bell, before whom they were given a hearing. Each was fined \$5 and the costs, which totaled \$27.50.

Barth is married and proprietor of the Orr Avenue Hotel, Wicksboro, Pa. Semmens is also married and has two grown daughters.

It is said Barth and Semmens secured accommodations at the Elks' lodge home for the week and, elix against the rules of the house, took the women to their room. The arresting officer says that when he appeared the women ran out into the hall wearing very few clothes.

Barth claims he and Semmens rode to the clubhouse in an automobile, were asked for a ride by the two women as they got out of the machine and merely went into the lodge rooms for a drink.

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### MOTHER AND THREE CHILDREN MURDERED.

Returning last night from his work in a nearby graphite mine, John Saus, of Byers, 11 miles west of Phoenixville, Pa., became alarmed at the absence of a light in the house and entering his home was horrified to discover the dead bodies of his wife and two small daughters. Later, in the yard of his home, he found his seven-year-old son, who died while being hurried to the Phoenixville Hospital. The skulls of all were broken, as if by an axe or club, and the identity of the murderer is as yet a mystery.

The crime has aroused the entire countryside, and searching parties heavily armed last night scoured the hills in the vicinity of the quiet little village for Charles Baker, a fellow workman of Saus, who boasted with him and is under suspicion. This man was not at work yesterday afternoon, and he cannot be found. Indications are that Mrs. Saus and her children were murdered by the missing boarder, and the only motive attributable to the crime is robbery, \$45 and a bank book on a Phoenixville bank for \$800 are missing.

All appeared to have been literally beaten to death, and the wounds on the heads of the children were made by a sharper instrument than was used to crush the skull of the mother. At the time when it is thought the crime was committed Mrs. Saus and her two little daughters were alone in the house, but the intruder was surprised at his murderous work by the appearance of Charles upon his return from school. He, the authorities believe, fled upon entering the house, and was evidently overtaken in the yard and there beaten to death.

It is also thought that the murderer had a couple of hours' start before the discovery was made by the father, shortly after 6 o'clock.

### WOMAN SHORT IN HER ACCOUNTS

A shortage of \$1,911.85 was discovered in the accounts of Miss Rena Askew, cashier of sub-station No. 12, of the Richmond postoffice, when Post-office Inspector Edward C. Saffell began going over the vouchers last Thursday, but the matter just came to light yesterday.

Roy Childrey, who is postmaster at the sub-station, and is under bond, has made good the amount and states that though the inspectors are still at work checking up, the delinquency will probably reach \$2,000. He said that Miss Askew had made a confession to Inspector Saffell, in which she told him that her pecuniaries had been continued for the past several months and that every cent had been expended upon herself.

Whether or not the young woman will be prosecuted for the alleged embezzlement has not been determined as yet, and it is the opinion that Mr. Childrey making good the deficit will leave the matter between himself and the girl.

Miss Askew is 22 years of age and has for three years managed the business at the sub-station efficiently. She is said to have several wealthy relatives, one of whom is reported to be a millionaire.

### TAFT AND ROOSEVELT.

Mr. Roosevelt was somewhat vexed yesterday at the newspaper reports of his meeting with President Taft in New Haven on Monday. He was especially displeased with the stories that stated or inferred that he sought the interview, that he had been mildly rebuffed by the president. He made a statement that the efforts of the most strenuous sort to discover either from himself or from Mr. Griscom the exact purpose of the meeting brought forth nothing satisfactory. Mr. Roosevelt desired only to make it very plain to all that he went to New Haven at the request of Mr. Griscom and not by his own seeking, and that he has no favors to ask of the president and that he will have none.

President Taft simply reiterated his hope that Mr. Roosevelt and the progressives would win out at Saratoga. That said Mr. Roosevelt, came unthought from the president. So far as can be learned the meeting between Taft and Roosevelt will have no great bearing on the relations that have existed since Mr. Roosevelt returned from Africa.

### BRYAN BOLTS DAHLMAN.

In a statement in which he declares that the crusade which he feels impelled to wage against the liquor interests of Nebraska and nation overshadows a personal and political friendship of 20 years, William J. Bryan has announced he has bolted the head of the democratic state ticket in Nebraska and would not support James C. Dahlman for governor.

Mr. Bryan says he regrets that he is compelled to take the stand he does—his first departure from political regularity—but says he feels it his duty to do so because of the position taken by the democratic nominee on the liquor question. This statement does not indicate that Mr. Bryan will support the candidate of any other party, but announces that he is a pronounced advocate of county option and the early saloon closing law, both of which, he insists, are menaced by Dr. Dahlman's candidacy.

Mayor Dahlman last night hurled defiance at Bryan, who gave out a statement that he would not support the mayor in his gubernatorial campaign. The mayor in his statement said:

"The Stocum liquor law of our state has been on the statute books for 20 years. It gives each city, town, and village the right to vote saloons in or out, which means local self-government. County option, which Mr. Bryan is advocating, enlarges the unit and takes from the people the right of local self-government."

"When the votes are counted November 8, Mr. Bryan, the county optionists, and all of the people who are trying to force summary laws on the citizens of Nebraska will find out they have got hold of the wrong end of the red-hot poker, because we will give them the biggest trimming which has been given in this or any other state in several decades."

### TWO ITALIANS LYNCHED.

While being taken to the county jail at Tampa, Fla., last night, Castagne Ficarrotta and Angelo Albano, two prominent Italians, conspicuous in the cigar strike at Tampa, were taken from deputy sheriffs, hurried to some woods nearby, and hanged from the limb of a tree. Both men were arrested early in the evening charged with being accessories to the shooting of J. F. Easterling, the bookkeeper of Bustillo Brothers, several days ago.

When the bodies were cut down it was found that the necessity for hanging both to the same limb, arose when the mob failed in an effort to sever the chains connecting the handcuffs. Ficarrotta had his pipe gripped firmly in his teeth, and wore his hat.

Following the discovery of the bodies wild excitement reigned in Tampa. At midnight a crowd estimated at 2,000 persons had gathered, and the real tension of feeling, resulting from the strike, was evidenced.

Eight months ago Ficarrotta was tried on a charge of murdering his uncle, G. Ficarrotta, a prominent wholesale dealer of West Tampa. He was acquitted.

Vivian M. Lewis was nominated for governor on the first ballot at yesterday's republican state convention at Trenton, N. J. Mr. Lewis received nearly 700 votes, as against about 300 votes that were cast for the three other aspirants for the nomination.

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### VIRGINIA.—In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 8th day of September, 1910.

Amy Gertrude Partlow Griffin vs. Chas. M. Griffin, Jr. In chancery.

Memo. The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce a mensa et thoro for the complainant from the defendant on the ground of desertion and for general relief.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, Thomas H. Griffin, is a non-resident of this State:

It is Ordered: That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the City of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

A copy—Teste: NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk. Robinson Moneure, p. q. sep5 w1w-thu

### VIRGINIA.—In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 31st day of August, 1910.

Charles Bendheim vs. Thomas H. Gordon. In chancery.

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### U. S. Engineer Office, 920 17th street, N. W., Washington, D. C., Aug. 23, 1910.—Sealed proposals for dredging in Potomac River at Alexandria, Va., and at Lower Cedar Point, Md., and in Upper Machodoc and Dymers Creeks, Va., will be received here until 12 M., September 22, 1910, and then publicly opened. Information on application. W. C. LANGEFITT, Lt. Col. Engrs. aug24 25,26,27, sep20,21

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7:47 A. M.—Daily local between Washington and Danville.

8:47 A. M.—Daily—Local for Harrisonburg and way stations.

9:47 A. M.—Daily—U. S. East Mail. Stop only for passengers for points south of which scheduled to stop. First class coaches; sleeping cars to Birmingham and drawing room sleeping cars to New Orleans. Dining car service.

11:47 P. M.—Daily—Mail train. Coaches for Manassas, Charlottesville, Lynchburg, Danville and Greensboro. Sleeping cars Greensboro to Atlanta.

4:47 P. M.—Week days—Local for Warrenton and Harrisonburg.

1:42 P. M.—Daily—Birmingham special. Sleeping cars between New York, Augusta, Aiken and Jacksonville. Sleeper to Birmingham. Through first-class coaches between Washington and Jacksonville. Dining car service. Tourist to California four times weekly.

3:52 P. M.—Week days—Local for Harrisonburg and way stations on Manassas branch.

5:52 P. M.—Daily—Local for Warrenton and Charlottesville.

10:27 P. M.—Daily—Washington and Chattanooga Limited, via Lynchburg. First-class coaches between Washington and Roanoke, Knoxville and Chattanooga. Sleeper to New Orleans. Washington to Roanoke. Dining car service.

11:52 P. M.—Daily—New York, Atlanta and New Orleans Limited. All Pullman train, club and observation cars to New Orleans. Sleeping cars to Asheville. Atlanta, Birmingham and New Orleans. Sleeping cars to Charlotte. Dining car service.

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